

FIGURE. 1. DNA Constructs used in this application. The schematic diagrams represent the expression cassettes which are packaged into the recombinant adeno-associated virus (AAV) vectors. Abbreviations: TR, AAV terminal repeats; PrCBA, cytomegalovirus/chicken beta-actin hybrid promoter; IRES, internal ribosome entry sequence which allows for bicistronic expression of two transgenes; gfp, green fluorescent protein; pA, poly adenylation sequence. Human DNA sequences to model neurodegenerative diseases: APP, amyloid precursor protein mutant form linked to Alzheimer's disease; presenilin 1 mutant form linked to Alzheimer's disease; tau wild type and mutant form linked to fronto-temporal dementia with parkinsonism linked to chromosome 17; alpha-synuclein wild type and mutant forms linked to Parkinson's disease.

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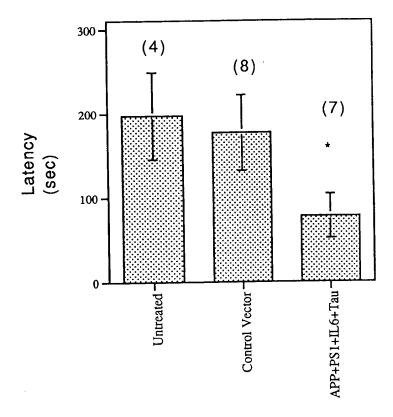


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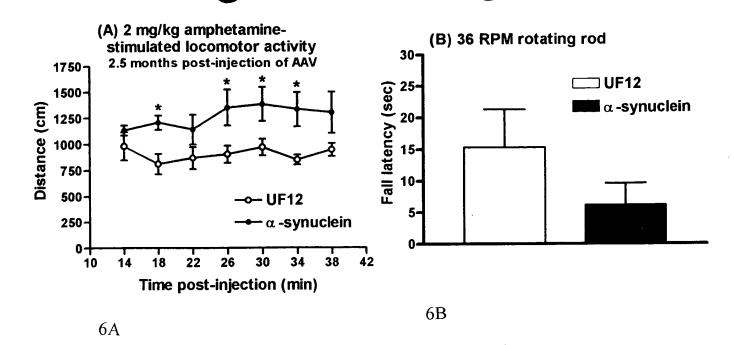


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